

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

MINES AND MINERALS - Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 477.03 Hectares in Compartment Nos. 1,2,3 in Kondapuram Reserve Forest and 39 to 42 in Kondaigudem R.F., Ramanujavaram village, Manuguru Mandal of Khammam District for a period of 21 years, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited - Sanction - Orders - Issued.

INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M-III) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 107

Dated:12-10-2010

Read the following:-

1. From M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited, M.L. application Dated 13-02-2009.
2. From the DMG., File No.23301/R6-2/2009, Dt.4-8-2009.
3. Govt, Lr. No.10882/M-III(2)/2009-1, Ind & Com (M.III) Deptt, dated 15-10-2009
4. Govt. memo No.10882/M.III(2)/200-2 dated 15-10-2009.
5. From the Min. of Coal, GOI, Lr.No.13016/20/2009-CA.II, dt.20-01-2010.
6. From the DMG, Suppl.File No. 23301/R6-2/2009, dt.15-04-2010.
7. Govt. memo No.10882/M.III(2)/2010-3, dt.02-06-2010.
8. From the Chief Estate, M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited,Lr.No.CRP/EST/M/208/727,dt.17-06-2010 & 26-8-2010.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited have filed an application for grant of Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 477.03 Hectares in Compartment Nos. 1,2,3 in Kondapuram Reserve Forest and 39 to 42 in Kondaigudem R.F., Ramanujavaram village, Manuguru Mandal of Khammam District for a period of 21 years.

2) Based on the proposals in the reference 2nd read above of the Director of Mines & Geology, the Government have proposed for grant of Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 477.03 Hectares in Compartment Nos. 1,2,3 in Kondapuram Reserve Forest and 39 to 42 in Kondaigudem R.F., Ramanujavaram village, Manuguru Mandal of Khammam District for a period of 21 years, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited and accordingly addressed to Government of India for their prior approval under Section 5(1) and also relaxation of 6(1)(b) of MM(D&R) Act, 1957 and issued a notice to the applicant company to submit the Approved Mining Plan through the Director of Mines & Geology in reference 3rd and 4th read above.

3) In the reference 5th read above, the Ministry of Coal, Government of India, have conveyed their prior approval under Section 5(1) and also in relaxation of 6(1)(b) of MM(D&R) Act, 1957 for grant of Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 477.03 Hectares in Compartment Nos. 1,2,3 in Kondapuram Reserve Forest and 39 to 42 in Kondaigudem R.F., Ramanujavaram village, Manuguru Mandal of Khammam District for a period of 21 years, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited.

4) In the reference 6th read above, the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad forwarded the Approved Mining Plan submitted by M/s.Singareni Collieries Company Limited and approved by the Ministry of Coal, Government of India and requested the Government for grant of Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 477.03 Hectares in Compartment Nos. 1,2,3 in Kondapuram Reserve Forest and 39 to 42 in Kondaigudem R.F., Ramanujavaram village, Manuguru Mandal of Khammam District for a period of 21 years, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited subject to obtaining clearances from Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India, under Forest (Conservation) Act,1980 and subject to satisfaction of MM(D&R) Act,1957 and M.C.Rules,1960.

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- 5) In the reference 8th read above, M/s. Singareni Collieries Company Limited have furnished the sketch duly signed by the Forest Department, Mines & Geology Department and M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited along with a copy of Environmental Clearance issued by the Ministry of Environment & Forests pertaining to grant of Mining Lease over 477.03 Hectares and Consent for Establishment from Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board.
- 6) Thus, Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby grant a Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 477.03 Hectares in Compartment Nos. 1,2,3 in Kondapuram Reserve Forest and 39 to 42 in Kondaigudem R.F., Ramanujavaram village, Manuguru Mandal of Khammam District for a period of 21 years, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited subject to satisfaction of terms and conditions of MM (D&R) Act,1957 and M.C.Rules,1960 and also subject to the conditions in Form-K prescribed under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and to the additional conditions specified in the Appendix to this order and subject to satisfaction of all other applicable Acts and Rules in this regard.
- 7) The rates of royalty, dead rent, cess, surface rent and water charges shall be collectable as follows or as revised by Government from time to time:

I. Rates of Royalty:

COAL:

A. Coal produced in all States and Union Territories except the State of West Bengal.

(1) Royalty on Coal:

The rates of royalty, which shall be a combination of specific and advalorem rates of royalty shall be as follows:

$R(\text{Royalty Rupees/tonnes})=a+bP$

Where 'P' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges and the values of 'a' (fixed component) and 'b' (variable or advalorem component) would be as follows:

Group	Grade of coal	Royalty on coal in Rupees per tonne
Group-I	Steel Gr.-I Steel Gr.II Washery-I Direct Feed	a=Rs.180.00 b=5 per cent i.e. Rs.180+5 per cent where 'P' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.

Group-II	Washery-II	A=Rs.130.00
	Washery-III	b=5 per cent
	Semi Coking Gr.I	i.e. Rs.130+5 per cent where ' P ' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
	Semi Coking Gr.II	
	Grade-A	
Group-III	Grade-B	
	Washery-IV	a=Rs.90.00
	Grade-C	b=5 per cent
Group-IV		i.e. Rs.90+5 per cent where ' P ' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
Group-V	Grade-D	a=Rs.70.00
	Grade-E	b=5 per cent
		i.e. Rs.70+5 per cent where ' P ' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
Group-V	Grade-F	a=Rs.55.00
	Grade-G	b=5 per cent
		i.e. Rs.55+5 per cent where ' P ' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.

II. Dead rent:	Rates of dead rent in rupees per hectare per annum or as revised by Government from time to time		
First Year	From Second year of lease	Third year and fourth year	Fifth year onwards
100	200	500	1000

III. Surface rent & water charges and also Cess	As fixed by the Government from time to time
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- 8) The grantee should execute the lease deed within the time limit specified in Rule 31 of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.
- 9) The grantee should pay a deposit of Rs.10,000/- as prescribed under rule 32 of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 before the lease is actually executed.
- 10) The terms and conditions referred to in paras 6-9 of this order are subject to such further modifications, additions and alterations as may be ordered before the lease deed is executed.

11) The Director of Mines and Geology shall take necessary further action for the execution of the lease deed after satisfying himself that the grantee fulfils all the required provisions of the amended Act and Rules. As soon as the deed is executed, the date of such execution should be reported to the Government.

NOTE: The grant is liable for cancellation should it be found at a later date that it was grossly inequitable or was made under a mistake of fact or owing to misrepresentation or fraud or in excess of authority.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RANJEEV R.ACHARYA,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited,
Kothagudem -507 101, Khammam District.
The Director of Mines and Geology, Hyderabad.[w.e: File & AMP]
Copy to:
The Asst. Director of Mines and Geology, Kothagudem,
Khammam District.
The Collector, Khammam District.
The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Coal, New Delhi.
The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines,
"A" Block, 2nd Floor, Indira Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur 440 001.
The Director General of Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Bihar.
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad..
SF/SC(C.No.10882/M.III(2)/2009)

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